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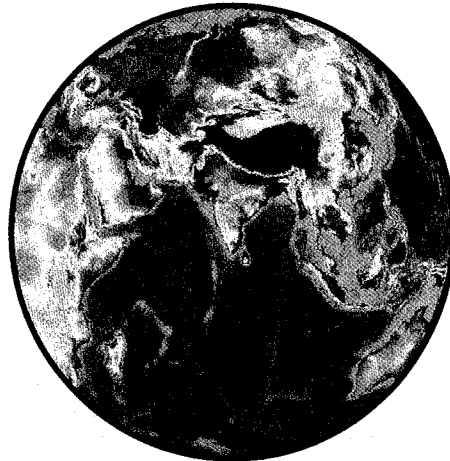
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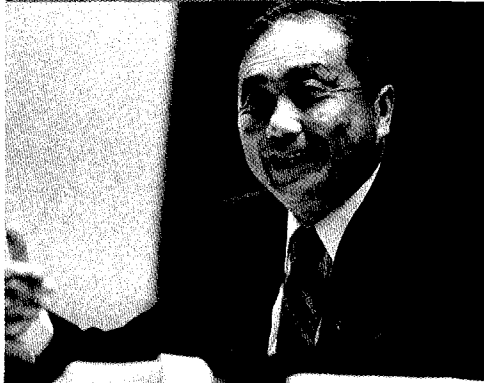
**GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF LAW**

**LL.M. AND S.J.D. IN INTERNATIONAL LEGAL STUDIES
INTERIM BULLETIN, 2004-05**



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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



The curriculum reaches beyond rules, to examine the effect of various cultural practices and national policies on international trade, human rights, and the environment.

Welcome to the LL.M. and S.J.D. programs in international legal studies. These programs, built upon Golden Gate University School of Law's long-standing commitment to international law, envision American and foreign legal scholars working side by side to appreciate the complex process of the progressive development of international law.

Both American and foreign law graduates who intend to specialize in international and comparative law will find that the LL.M. and S.J.D. programs offer advanced qualification in five core areas: international law, private international law (conflict of laws), international trade regulation, comparative law, and international dispute resolution. Foreign law graduates interested in comparative aspects of United States law will be able to take courses offered in the Juris Doctor program, as well as courses in other LL.M. programs.

The LL.M. and S.J.D. programs in international legal studies are both academic and practical. At its core, the LL.M. program provides students with knowledge of the fundamental principles of international law and the current rules that govern their application. The curriculum reaches beyond rules, however, to examine the effect of various cultural practices and national policies on international trade, human rights, and the environment. In addition, courses trace the development of international and regional organizations and treaties that govern multinational issues. Students are exposed to practical applications of negotiating skills and to different methods of international dispute settlement.

The LL.M. program has two primary objectives: to acquaint American students with the legal traditions of other countries, thereby initiating the internationalization of American legal education; and to encourage all students to understand the existing variations in international legal principles, so that they may work toward harmonizing their legal consequences. The S.J.D. program is a natural extension of the LL.M. program.

These objectives will be achieved through the interaction of students from diverse legal cultures, led by a faculty of experienced international legal scholars and practitioners, in and out of the classroom, and through research and publication of international and comparative law materials.

*Sompong Sucharitkul
Distinguished Professor of International and Comparative Law
Associate Dean and Director of the International Legal Studies Program*

THE UNIVERSITY AND THE LAW SCHOOL



Golden Gate University is a private, nonprofit institution of higher education and a major center for professional study in the fields of law, management, business, and technology.

The School of Law, founded in 1901, is one of the oldest law schools in the western United States. It is fully accredited by the American Bar Association and the Committee of Bar Examiners of the State of California and is a member of the Association of American Law Schools.

Students at Golden Gate come from across the United States and from more than 50 foreign nations. They represent a wide spectrum of ethnic, economic, and cultural backgrounds.

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- LL.M. in Environmental Law
- LL.M. in Intellectual Property Law
- LL.M. in Taxation
- LL.M. in U.S. Legal Studies

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REQUIREMENTS

The LL.M. and S.J.D. programs in international legal studies are designed to provide in-depth coverage of specialized areas of international and comparative law, with an emphasis on the legal, cultural, sociological, and business activities of the Pacific Rim, the European Community, the Americas, and other regions of the world as they interact.

Bangkok Summer Law Program

Students may earn credits through coursework at Golden Gate's summer program in Bangkok, Thailand. Students from Golden Gate study side by side with students from other U.S. law schools and foreign law schools. This six-week program, conducted in cooperation with members of the law faculties in Thailand and high-ranking members of H.M. Government, as well as international private practitioners, offers courses on international trade and Pacific Rim issues with externships possible in Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, Ho Chi Minh City, and Hanoi.

LL.M. Degree Requirements

The LL.M. program in international legal studies can be completed on a full-time or part-time basis. To complete the LL.M., a student must earn 24 semester hours of credit. All LL.M. students must complete the program within four years of matriculation.

LL.M. students must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. The grade scale is:

A 4.0	B 3.0	C 2.0	D 1.0
A- 3.5	B- 2.5	C- 1.5	F 0.0

LL.M. Basic Courses

LL.M. students must earn at least 6 course credits by taking courses from at least two of the five core areas listed at right.

LL.M. students may take other basic courses as electives.

See our website, www.ggu.edu/law, for descriptions of these and other courses. Click on the "Law Records and Registration" tab and follow the links to "Course Descriptions."

International Law

- International Law
- International Organizations

Private International Law (Conflict of Laws)

- Private International Law
- Conflict of Laws

Comparative Legal Systems

- Comparative Legal Systems

International Economic Law

- International Business Transactions
- International Investment Law
- International Trade Regulation

Dispute Resolution

- International Dispute Resolution
- Philip C. Jessup Moot Court Competition

LL.M. Elective Courses

LL.M. students earn the balance of the required 24 units by enrolling in courses selected from the LL.M. basic courses or from the courses listed below.

- Admiralty and Maritime Law
- Advanced International Taxation
- Advanced Legal Research: eSearch
- Air, Space, and Telecommunications Law
- *ASEAN Broadcasting, Satellite, and Media Law
- Asian/Pacific Trade Seminar
- Banking and Financial Institutions Law
- Business Immigration Law
- Comparative Constitutional Law
- Comparative Corporate Governance and Securities Regulation
- Comparative Criminal Procedure
- Constitutional Law I and II
- Contracts I and II
- Corporations
- *Current International Legal Problems
- Curricular Practical Training
- Entertainment Law
- European Union Law
- Graduate Legal Research
- Immigration and Refugee Policy
- Immigration and Refugee Policy Clinic
- Immigration Law
- Intellectual Property Law Survey
- *International Contracts
- International Economic Law
- International Environmental Law
- International Human Rights
- International Human Rights and Environment
- *International Intellectual Property Law
- International Patent Law
- International Security and Globalization

- International Taxation
- International Trade Regulation
- Internet and Software Law
- *Introduction to the Thai Legal System:
- Law/Politics/Economics/Development
- Jurisprudence
- Law of International Armed Conflicts
- Law of Japan
- Law of the Sea Seminar
- Multinational Estate Planning
- Pacific Settlement of Disputes Between States
- *Regional Organizations
- Sales
- Sports Law
- Western Hemisphere Trade Seminar

Competitions

- International Environmental Law Moot Court
- Manfred Lachs Outer Space Law Moot Court
- Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court
- Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot

* offered in summer abroad program. See our website for course descriptions.

LL.M. Writing Requirements

Each student is required to take at least one seminar that entails the satisfactory completion of a substantial paper. Students may choose to earn up to 6 elective units for the successful completion of a thesis prepared under faculty supervision.

Transfer of Credits

Units from a J.D. program or from any non-law school program cannot be transferred into the LL.M. program. Up to 6 units from an ABA-approved LL.M. in international legal studies can be transferred to the program if the student has earned grades of at least B- (2.5).

Students who have taken LL.M. international legal studies program courses while attending the Golden Gate J.D. program may apply up to 6 units to the LL.M. in international legal studies program.

Cross-Registration

Students taking courses in Golden Gate's other LL.M. programs may apply up to 6 units to the LL.M. in international legal studies degree. Consent of the directors of both programs is required.

REQUIREMENTS AND ADMISSIONS

S.J.D. Degree Requirements

Students admitted to the S.J.D. program must earn a minimum of 8 units and spend at least two semesters in residency. Each student's program of study must be approved by the Committee on Advanced International Legal Studies in consultation with the dissertation supervisor and must include a course or seminar in jurisprudence. S.J.D. students must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale while in residency. (See the grade scale on facing page.)

Applicants to the S.J.D. program must identify three fields in which they intend to concentrate their research. The fields are intended to ensure that the student acquires in-depth knowledge in a variety of areas related to the dissertation topic, and thus develops mature and reflective perspectives on that topic. See the application form for further details.

Each S.J.D. student will work closely with the dissertation supervisor during the residency period. At the end of the second semester in residence, the student must present a detailed outline and draft chapter of the dissertation, as well as pass a qualifying oral examination. Students who successfully complete these tasks will be advanced to candidacy. The S.J.D. candidate is expected to work closely with the supervisor during the candidacy period and must present a final dissertation in publishable form no later than four years after advancing to candidacy.

Admissions

Due Dates

Deadlines for filing an LL.M. application are:

- July 1 for starting the program in the fall
- November 1 for starting the program in the spring
- April 1 for starting the program in the summer

Late applications will be considered if program space permits. Students seeking

F-1 or J-1 student visas should apply by May 15 for fall and by October 1 for spring.

Documents Required

No decision can be made until the LL.M. application and all supporting documents have been received. LL.M. and S.J.D. applicants must submit the following materials:

- Official application for admission to the LL.M. or S.J.D. program
- \$60 application fee
- Personal statement
- Official law school transcript (translated, if not in English)
- Certification of Finances (non-U.S. students only)

Applications should be sent to:

Golden Gate University School of Law
LL.M. and S.J.D. Programs
536 Mission Street
San Francisco, CA 94105-2968 U.S.A.

Application Form and Fee

The application form for the LL.M. program is on pages 9–10 of this bulletin. The application form for the S.J.D. program is on pages 11–14. The \$60 application fee, payable by check or money order, must be made out to Golden Gate University. Golden Gate University welcomes application by any qualified and interested candidate.

LL.M. Personal Statement

The personal statement allows an applicant to present credentials in nonstatistical terms and may include reasons for seeking the degree. Of interest to the admissions committee are the applicant's international or comparative law-related experiences as a student or practitioner. The applicant is encouraged to describe the impact of these experiences on his or her preparation for a career in international law.

The personal statement is also an opportunity for an applicant to set forth any factors

that may be important to the admissions committee's decision. The statement should be in narrative rather than résumé form. It should be typed and no longer than three double-spaced, 8.5-x-11-inch (or A4) pages.

S.J.D. Application Statement

The application statement should provide a description of the applicant's reasons for seeking the S.J.D. degree. It should set forth the applicant's intended fields of inquiry and research objectives in specific terms. It should be typed and no longer than ten double-spaced, typed, 8.5-x-11-inch (or A4) pages.

Law School Transcripts

Official transcripts from all law schools attended must be submitted.

From U.S. institutions: Official, original transcripts must be sent directly to the LL.M. or S.J.D. program at GGU.

From overseas institutions: Applicants must provide an original or certified true copy of academic records for each year of study. These records must be in the original language issued. If not in English, an official English translation must also be provided.

Transcripts should be sent to:

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Letters of Recommendation

Letters of recommendation are not required but will be considered if provided. Letters should be from individuals who are well acquainted with the applicant's academic ability or professional accomplishments.

Interview

An interview is not required but may be scheduled upon request.

ADMISSIONS (CONT.)

Tuition Payment

Tuition and fees are payable in full upon registration. For information regarding tuition payment options, including installment and corporate reimbursement plans, visit the School of Law Records and Registration webpage at www.ggu.edu/school_of_law/law_records_registration/tuition_fees/payment_options. All balances from previous semesters must be paid prior to registration.

Financial Aid

Golden Gate University School of Law administers a full range of programs to help students who need financial assistance. The Financial Aid Office provides budget and debt management counseling, evaluates students' financial needs, and determines financial aid awards. The Financial Aid Office is also responsible for maintaining standards and procedures that comply with federal regulations, donor restrictions, and university policies, and that most equitably help meet students' financial needs.

Students seeking information regarding financial aid eligibility and application procedures should check the School of Law Financial Aid Office page on our website at www.ggu.edu/law or contact the office at (415) 442-6630 or lawfao@ggu.edu. The Financial Aid Office will provide relevant information and application materials.

A limited number of partial scholarships are available based on merit and/or financial need. Interested applicants are encouraged to submit requests for scholarships along with their applications. Recipients of merit scholarships will be informed of their awards as part of their admissions decision letter.

Non-U.S. students are not eligible for U.S. government-supported financial aid and must make private financing arrangements.

Withdrawal and Refund Policies

Students are enrolled with the understanding that they will complete the entire semester. If a student must withdraw from courses for personal or professional reasons, tuition adjustments will be made on the following basis: If the student withdraws before or during the first or second week of class, 100% of the tuition will be credited to his or her account; during or after the third week, 0% will be credited. The acceptance deposit is not refundable.

No adjustments will be made for late registration, absences from class, leaves of absence for a portion of a semester, or suspensions or dismissals by official action of the university. Fees other than tuition will not be adjusted. A student may request in writing that a refundable credit balance be returned to him or her. Requests should be sent to the attention of Student Accounting Services. Refunds will be mailed to the address that appears on the student's refund request.

Special Requirements for Non-U.S. Applicants

Non-U.S. applicants should visit the "International Students" section of our website at www.ggu.edu/law.

Applicants who received their law degrees outside the United States must satisfy the admissions committee of the sufficiency of their academic backgrounds, the proficiency of their English language abilities, and their financial ability to complete the course of study.

The TOEFL institution code for Golden Gate University School of Law is 4329. The department code is 03. Applicants must receive a minimum score of 550 paper or 213 computer.

International applicants must comply with U.S. immigration laws and regulations. It is the applicant's responsibility to obtain any required visas. All new international students must meet with an international student adviser upon arrival to complete

the requirements established by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services or the Department of State. Visit the website <http://uscis.gov/graphics>.

An official Certification of Finances form, properly filled out and with accompanying documents, must be submitted by all foreign applicants. The form is on page 15 of this bulletin and may be downloaded from our website.

Students on visas must pay an International Student Services fee each semester. Non-U.S. students with F-1 and J-1 immigration status are also required to purchase health insurance each semester. Students who can show proof of a comparable policy can apply for a waiver during the first 14 days of each semester.

Non-U.S. students are not eligible for U.S. government-supported financial aid and must make private financing arrangements.

We recommend that applicants from other nations bring with them an extra official transcript and any official documents they have received from the courts or bar associations of their home country indicating that they have been admitted to practice law in that country. These documents are not required for admission to the LL.M. program but may prove useful in obtaining employment. Lawyers admitted to practice in their home country may include such documentation in the application, but it is not required for admission.

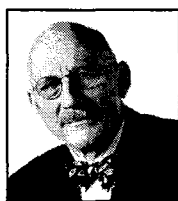


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B.A. (Honours), B.C.L., M.A., D.Phil., and D.C.L., Oxford University, United Kingdom; Docteur en Droit, University of Paris, France; LL.M., Harvard University; Diploma, Hague Academy of International Law

Associate Dean and Distinguished Professor of International and Comparative Law Sompong Sucharitkul directs the Golden Gate LL.M. and S.J.D. programs in international legal studies, the Center for Advanced International Legal Studies, and the summer program in Bangkok. He has served as Thailand's ambassador to Japan, several European nations, the European Community, FAO, and UNESCO. He represented Thailand in the U.N. General Assembly for almost 30 years and served as the special rapporteur of the International Law Commission for nine years. In 2001, he was appointed by the president of the International Court of Justice to serve as one of three members on the first ASEAN Investment Dispute Arbitral Tribunal; he was subsequently elected president of the tribunal. Professor Sucharitkul brings a wealth of knowledge of private and public international law to the international legal studies programs, which have attracted faculty and students from more than 50 nations.

Full-Time Faculty



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A recipient of the

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Robert Calhoun
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Professor Calhoun, a criminal law expert, created and directed the First District Appellate Project, a nonprofit corporation that administers the appointed criminal counsel for the California Court of Appeals. He is coauthor of the *California Speedy Trial Law* and "Waiver of the Right to Appeal," published in the *Hastings Con Law Quarterly*. He served in the Peace Corps in Turkey from 1965 to 1967. He is a member of the California Bar. He teaches Comparative Criminal Procedure Seminar, Criminal Procedure I & II, Evidence, and Trial Advocacy.



Marc H. Greenberg
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where he focused on advising new technology companies, as well as transactional work and litigation in website development, e-commerce, licensing, copyright, trademark, and entertainment law. He is a member of the California Bar. He teaches Entertainment Law, Intellectual Property Law Survey, and Internet and Software Law.



Helen Hartnell
Professor of Law

*B.S. (cum laude), J.D.
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University of Illinois*

Professor Hartnell practiced law in Germany and in Wisconsin before starting to teach. She has taught at the Free University of Berlin, Tulane Law School, ELTE Law School and Central European University (both in Budapest, Hungary), SMU School of Law, Harvard Law School (where she was a visiting scholar), and the American University of Armenia. Professor Hartnell is actively involved with the American Society of International Law and the International Law Association. She has published articles on international commercial law, European integration, and comparative constitutional law. She is working on a Ph.D. in jurisprudence and social policy at the University of California, Berkeley. She is a member of the Illinois Bar. She teaches European Union Law, International Business Transactions, International Trade Regulation, Private International Law (Conflict of Laws), and Sales.

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Professor Jones taught for two years in Greece at the Thessaloniki International School. He is a member of the California Bar. He teaches Conflict of Laws, Contracts, and Torts.



Janice E. Kosel

Professor of Law

A.B., University of
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Professor Kosel is the author of *Bankruptcy: Do It Yourself* and *Chapter 13: The Federal Plan to Repay Your Debts*, two self-help manuals for consumers. She contributed a chapter titled "Property Disposition in Antenuptial, Postnuptial, and Property Settlement Agreements" for a treatise on the distribution of marital property. Her book *Just in Case* deals with the legal problems surrounding aging and incapacity. Professor Kosel practiced with the San Francisco law firm of Orrick, Herrington, Rowley & Sutcliffe, where she specialized in corporate and municipal finance. She is a member of the California Bar. She teaches Commercial Finance, Community Property, Contracts, and Sales.



Christian N. Okeke

Associate Professor of Law

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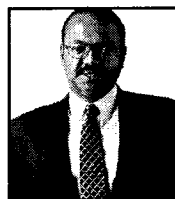
Marc Stickgold

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University

Professor Stickgold has written a number of articles on law school clinical education, police surveillance of political activity, and Justice William O. Douglas. He made a series of video classes in Constitutional Law for the University of California for use in Chinese universities, and he has spoken on U.S. law in Holland and Hungary. Prior to teaching, he was an assistant U.S. attorney for the Department of Justice in Wisconsin, cofounder and partner of a community law firm in Detroit, and director of the Law Reform Project for Detroit Neighborhood Legal Services. Professor Stickgold is a member of the California, Illinois, Wisconsin, and Michigan Bars. He teaches Civil Procedure,

Constitutional Law, Public Interest/
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Constitutional Law Seminar.



Jon H. Sylvester

Professor of Law and
Associate Dean for
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B.A., Stanford University;
M.J., University of

California, Berkeley; J.D., Harvard University. After earning a master's of journalism from U.C. Berkeley, where he was a *New York Times* fellow, Professor Sylvester worked as a television news writer, reporter, and producer from 1975 to 1978, then attended Harvard Law School. He practiced with the Washington, DC, offices of two major New York-based law firms. Professor Sylvester was a tenured member of the law faculty at Texas Southern University and at Loyola Law School (Los Angeles) before joining Golden Gate's law faculty. He spent the 1992-93 year teaching and traveling in Africa as a Fulbright scholar. He served as the Law School's associate dean for academic affairs from 1996 to 2000. He teaches Contracts and International Business Transactions.

Adjunct Faculty

Beverly Baker-Kelly

Adjunct Professor

B.A., University of Michigan; Ed.D., Columbia
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Adjunct Professor Baker-Kelly has taught international law and international human rights courses at the University of Windsor in Canada, Howard University School of Law, and Boalt Hall School of Law. She was appointed by United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan as deputy registrar of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, located in Arusha, Tanzania. She teaches the International Human Rights Seminar.

Michael A. Glenn

Glenn Patent Group

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Adjunct Professor Glenn is a registered patent attorney with broad experience both in private practice and with Townsend and Townsend of San Francisco. He is a former chair of the State Bar of California Intellectual Property Section and past president of the Peninsula Intellectual Property Law Association. Professor Glenn currently maintains offices in Menlo Park, California. He teaches International Intellectual Property Law.

Anne Hiaring

Law Offices of Anne Hiaring

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Adjunct Professor Hiaring has specialized in trademark and copyright law since 1981. She has spoken at numerous International Trademark Law Association programs. She has written for *AmJur* on copyright and trademark law topics and has presented numerous papers. She teaches International Intellectual Property Law.

Paul Stanton Kibel

Fitzgerald, Abbott and Beardsley

B.A., Colgate University; J.D., Willamette University; LL.M. Candidate, Boalt Hall School of Law, University of California, Berkeley

Adjunct Professor Kibel is a partner at the environmental law firm Fitzgerald, Abbott and Beardsley. He previously worked for the Pacific Environment and Resources Center and the California State Coastal Conservancy (a state agency). In 1999, Routledge Press published a collection of his essays entitled *The Earth on Trial: Environmental Law on the International Stage*. He has also published articles in the *Georgetown International Environmental Law Review*, *UCLA Journal of Environmental Law and Policy*, *NYU Environmental Law Journal*, and Oxford University's *Journal of Environmental Law*. He serves as faculty editor for the annual environmental symposium issue of the *Golden Gate University Law Review* and teaches International Trade and Environmental Protection.

Joel Marsh

Adjunct Professor

B.A., Cornell University; M.A., University of California, Berkeley; J.D., Hastings College of the Law, University of California, Berkeley

Adjunct Professor Marsh has been continuously associated with international legal studies at Golden Gate since 1975, teaching at various times International Law, Comparative Law, Law of the Sea, and Business Immigration Law. From 1964 until 1972, he served as a foreign service officer of the U.S. State Department on diplomatic and consular assignments in Switzerland, Taiwan, Indonesia, and Washington, DC. Professor Marsh has also been a guest lecturer or conducted legal research projects in Greece, Austria, France, Israel, Haiti, Italy and Malta, and was a Fulbright Scholar in Turkey. His private law practice in San Francisco emphasizes immigration and transnational personnel issues. He teaches Business Immigration and Law of the Sea Seminar.

Warren E. Small

Law Offices of Warren E. Small

B.S., Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute; M.S., Naval Postgraduate School; M.A., Auburn University; M.A., Stanford University; J.D., Golden Gate University School of Law

After spending 25 years in the U.S. Navy as a commissioned officer, Adjunct Professor Small earned his J.D., specializing in international law. He joined the adjunct law faculty at Golden Gate University in 1996 to complement his private practice, which focuses on intellectual property law, corporate law, and international and domestic patent licensing procedures. He frequently lectures on international legal issues emanating from operations sponsored by the Department of Defense. Mr. Small is a member of the State Bar of California, the American Society of International Law, the American Intellectual Property Law Association, and the Licensing Executives Society. He teaches International Patent Law, Law of International Armed Conflicts, and Western Hemisphere Trade Seminar.

Michael van Walt van Praag

Adjunct Professor

Meester in de Rechten (J.D. plus LL.M. equivalent), Utrecht University (Netherlands); LL.M., Wayne State University; Doctor in de Rechtsgeleerdheid (S.J.D. equivalent), Utrecht University

Adjunct Professor van Walt van Praag practiced law in Washington, DC, and London with the firm Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering from 1985 to 1989 and was of counsel to the San Francisco law firm Pettit & Martin from 1989 to 1990. From 1991 to 1998, he served as the general secretary of the Unrepresented Nations and Peoples Organization in the Hague and now heads the Peace Action Council, an organization whose mission is to prevent and resolve intrastate conflicts. He has served as legal advisor to the Office of H.H. the Dalai Lama and the Tibetan Government in Exile since 1984 and has been involved in negotiations to end a number of major armed conflicts in the past decades, such as those in Abkhazia, Chechnya, and Bougainville. He teaches International Security and Globalization.

J. Martin Wagner

Earthjustice Legal Defense Fund

B.A., Whitman College; J.D., University of Virginia

Adjunct Professor Wagner is the director of international programs at Earthjustice Legal Defense Fund. He graduated in the top ten percent from the University of Virginia School of Law, where he was executive editor of the *Virginia Journal of International Law*. Before joining Earthjustice in 1996, Professor Wagner clerked for Judge Robert Beezer on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit and spent five years litigating environmental citizen suits and civil rights actions and using international mechanisms for the protection of human rights. Professor Wagner is also treasurer and attorney for the Asociación Interamericana para la Defensa del Ambiente (AIDA). He teaches International Trade and Environmental Protection.

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LL.M. APPLICATION

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This application must be completed in ink or typed, signed, dated, and accompanied by the following:

- **Personal statement**
- **Nonrefundable US\$60 application fee**
- **Certification of Finances** (foreign students only).

In addition, the following items must be sent directly from the appropriate institutions:

- **Official transcripts** from all academic institutions (graduate and undergraduate) where you have studied law must be *sent directly to* the Golden Gate University School of Law LL.M. program. (A translation must be attached if the transcript is not in English.)
- **Official TOEFL score report** (foreign students only) sent directly from ETS. Institutional code: 4329. Department code: 03.

PROGRAM: Check the program(s) for which you wish to be considered:

☐ Environmental Law

☐ Intellectual Property Law

☐ International Legal Studies

☐ Taxation

☐ United States Legal Studies

STATUS: Application for: ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time Entering: ☐ Fall 20__ ☐ Spring 20__ ☐ Summer 20__

Personal Information (Please type or print in ink.)

Social Security Number _____

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Title: ☐ Miss ☐ Mrs. ☐ Ms. ☐ Mr. ☐ Dr. ☐ Other _____

Name _____
(Underline Family Name)

Mailing Address

Home Phone (____) _____ Work Phone (____) _____

Email _____ Fax (____) _____

Citizenship/Residency Status U.S. Citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If not a U.S. citizen, you must complete the section below.)

What is your visa status? ☐ U.S. Permanent Resident/Green Card ☐ F-1 ☐ J-1 ☐ Other _____
(Please specify)

Date of Birth _____ City of Birth _____ Country of Birth _____

Country of Citizenship _____

Native Language _____

HIGHER EDUCATION Provide information for all law schools attended. Use extra pages if needed.

Basic Law Studies

Name of Institution _____

Location _____ Dates of Attendance _____

Degree or Diploma _____ Date of Completion _____

Field of Study _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) _____ Class Rank _____

Academic Awards, Honors, Scholarships _____

Other Law Schools Attended

Name of Institution _____
Location _____ Dates of Attendance _____
Degree or Diploma _____ Date of Completion _____
Field of Study _____
Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) _____ Class Rank _____
Academic Awards, Honors, Scholarships _____

Date & Place TOEFL Taken (if applicable) _____ TOEFL Score _____

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Bar Admissions and Dates _____
Name & Location of Employer _____
Telephone (____) _____ Fax (____) _____
Dates (from & to) _____ Position Held _____

Ethnic survey for U.S. citizens. Check all that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African American/Black | <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian/White | <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alaskan Native or American Indian | <input type="checkbox"/> Chicano/Mexican American | <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to state |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Pacific Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian/Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern | |

PERSONAL HISTORY

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☐ Yes ☐ No

As a member of, or applicant to, any profession or organization, or as a holder of any office, license, or credential, have you ever been disciplined or had a license or credential suspended, revoked, or denied? If the answer is yes, please attach a statement providing full details, identifying the license or credential involved, and providing the dates, details of the matter, final disposition, and the name and address of the authority in possession of the records. If any such charge or conviction occurs between your submission of this form and your registration at Golden Gate University School of Law, or during your enrollment at Golden Gate University School of Law, you are expected to inform us. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Your application will not be considered complete until we receive your official transcripts.

I certify that the above application is correct in all aspects according to my best knowledge and belief, and I understand that if admitted to Golden Gate University School of Law, I must abide by the rules and regulations of the university and the School of Law. I understand that knowingly providing false or inaccurate information in admission and/or financial aid application material is grounds for denial of admission or, if discovered after admission, for revocation of any offer of admission or, if discovered after matriculation, for immediate dismissal from the School of Law.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

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S.J.D. APPLICATION

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Email: sjd@ggu.edu

S.J.D. IN INTERNATIONAL LEGAL STUDIES PROGRAM

This application must be completed in ink or typed, signed, and dated, and accompanied by the following:

- **Application statement:** The application statement should provide a narrative description of your reasons for seeking an S.J.D. in International Legal Studies and should set forth your intended fields of inquiry and research objectives in specific terms. The application statement should be typed and may not exceed ten double-spaced, 8.5-x-11-inch (or A4) pages. You may also submit a résumé and a bibliography in support of your application, but these are not acceptable substitutes for the narrative application statement.
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- **One writing sample**, in the English language, on a legal topic, such as a published article or an LL.M. thesis.
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Personal Information *(Please type or print in ink.)*

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Mailing Address

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(Please specify)

Date of Birth _____ City of Birth _____ Country of Birth _____

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HIGHER EDUCATION

Provide information for all law schools attended. Use extra pages if needed.

Primary Law Studies

Name of Institution _____
Location _____ Dates of Attendance _____
Degree or Diploma _____ Date of Completion _____
Field of Study _____
Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) _____ Class Rank _____
Academic Awards, Honors, Scholarships _____

Graduate Law Studies

Name of Institution _____
Location _____ Dates of Attendance _____
Degree or Diploma _____ Date of Completion _____
Field of Study _____
Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) _____ Class Rank _____
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Date & Place TOEFL Test Taken (if applicable) _____ TOEFL Score _____

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Present Employment, Activity, or Academic Status

Type of Work or Activity _____
Name & Location of Employer or School _____

Telephone (_____) _____ Fax (_____) _____
Dates (from & to) _____

Previous Employment

Provide information for all law-related employment. Use extra pages if needed.

Type of Work or Activity _____
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SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS _____

PROPOSED DISSERTATION TOPIC (*Title*) _____

FIELDS OF STUDY

Please identify three fields or areas of study in law or other related disciplines that are germane to your proposed dissertation topic and in which you plan to gain working knowledge. Examples of fields are: public international law, jurisprudence (legal theory), comparative law, private international law, international contract law, international economic law, dispute resolution, and environmental law.

- 1) _____
2) _____
3) _____

PROPOSED PROGRAM OF STUDY

Please outline your proposed program of study. What courses do you expect to attend during your two semesters in residence?

COMMENCEMENT OF STUDY

If accepted, I plan to start my S.J.D. residence in (check one):

- ☐ Fall 20____ ☐ Spring 20____

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Certification of Finances

2004-05

See instructions on back of this page.

Please read carefully the instructions on the reverse side of this form. You must provide the information requested on this form in order to qualify for the Student Visa Request Form. If you are accepted for regular admission, the university will issue the Student Visa Request Form for you to apply for the student visa. Documents submitted in support of this form must be originals or certified true copies of the originals. Photocopies or fax transmissions are not acceptable. Also, all financial documents must be less than one year old.

Student's Name _____ Date of Birth _____
(Underline Family Name) Month/Day/Year

Social Security/Student ID Number (if known) _____

Country of Birth _____ Country of Citizenship _____

City of Birth _____

SECTION A: Sources of Financial Support

Name of Sponsor _____ \$ _____ per year

Relationship to Student _____

SECTION B: Student Certification

I certify that I have read the instructions on the reverse side of this form, and that, to the best of my knowledge, the total amount listed in **Section A** is available to me for each year of study at Golden Gate University.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

If accompanied by dependents, attach information including names, relationships, countries of birth, and dates of birth.

SECTION C: Sponsor Certification

The undersigned certifies that he/she has read the information given by the applicant on this form, that it is true and accurate, and that the funds are available and will be provided as needed.

Sponsor's Signature _____ Date _____

Sponsor's Name (print) _____ Relationship to Student _____

Bank Seal

SECTION D: Bank Certification

The undersigned certifies that he/she has read the information given by the applicant on this form, that the information given above is accurate, and that the funds noted are expected to be available. No responsibility is assumed by the bank in giving this opinion. Note: Section D must include an original bank stamp or seal. See instructions on the back of this form.

Bank Official's Signature _____ Date _____

Bank Official's Name & Title (please print) _____

FOREIGN APPLICANTS ONLY: INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION OF FINANCES

Citizenship and Immigration Services (CIS) of the U.S. government requires Golden Gate University to certify the financial resources of all international applicants who will be applying for the F-1 and J-1 visas. Admission to Golden Gate University's law program is not dependent on your finances; however, GGU is unable to issue your Student Visa Request Form without financial certification.

NOTE: If you are being sponsored by your government, employer, or other organization/agency, you are **not required** to complete this form. Instead, you may submit an original sponsorship letter from the appropriate organization or government agency stating that it will support you in the amounts listed below for your tuition and expenses. If you have been awarded a scholarship from an outside organization or foundation, please be sure to include a copy of the award letter with this form.

The estimated costs for two academic terms and nine months of living expenses (listed below) are for all programs at Golden Gate University School of Law during **academic year 2004–05**. You are required to certify that you have the amount shown for the academic program you plan to enter. If you have a spouse, children, or other dependents who will be accompanying you to the United States, you must also certify an additional US\$5,400 per academic year for each dependent.

When you apply for the student visa at the U.S. Embassy/Consulate, you will be required to prove that you have sufficient funds to study at Golden Gate University. We suggest that you make copies of this form and other related sponsorship documents (or get two originals) to present to U.S. Embassy officials.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS USING THIS FORM

SECTION A: MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT. Please list the estimated amount of money (in U.S. dollars) that will be available to you for your first year of study at Golden Gate University. This amount must be equal to or greater than the amount shown below—related to your degree program of interest. Please print the name of your sponsor(s) and his/her relationship to you in the spaces provided. If you are sponsoring yourself, please print “*Myself*” in the space provided for “*Name of Sponsor*.”

SECTION B: MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT. You must certify that, to the best of your knowledge, the total amount of funds listed in Section A is available to you for each year of study at Golden Gate University. Also, provide your signature and the date in the appropriate spaces.

SECTION C: MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE SPONSOR(S). Your sponsor(s) is required to certify that the total funds in Section A are available and will be provided to you as necessary. Your sponsor(s) is required to print his/her name and relationship to you, and to sign and date the form in the appropriate spaces. Instead of completing this section, your sponsor may submit an original “Affidavit of Support” statement **or** an original letter promising to provide your financial support for as long as you are a student at Golden Gate University. If you are sponsoring yourself, please print “*I am sponsoring myself*” and sign your name in the space provided.

SECTION D: MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE SPONSOR'S BANK. A bank official at your sponsor's banking institution must certify that the funds listed in Section A are currently available. **Please be sure to obtain an original bank seal or stamps, OR** you may submit an original letter from your sponsor's bank indicating the total amount of money that is currently on deposit **or** an original letter stating that in the bank's opinion, your sponsor is financially capable of supporting you **for an amount equal to or greater than the total cost listed below**. If you are sponsoring yourself, please have the bank complete this section **or** you may submit an original letter from the bank.

DEPENDENT INFORMATION: On the attached sheet for dependent information, please print your name, as well as the name, relationship to you (husband, wife, son, daughter, etc.), date of birth, country of birth, country of citizenship, gender, and city of birth of each dependent who may accompany you to the United States.

MINIMUM ESTIMATED TUITION FOR TWO SEMESTERS AND 9 MONTHS OF LIVING EXPENSES IN THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA

	J.D. Programs	LL.M. Programs*	S.J.D. Program (2 semesters in residence)
Tuition/Fees (US\$)	29 units at \$26,680	24 units at \$22,080	\$25,000
Living Expenses & Fees	\$18,040	\$14,000	\$14,000
TOTAL COSTS	\$44,720	\$36,080	\$39,000

*LL.M. Tax Program is 26 units

IMPORTANT: Living Expenses are **estimates** and are based on shared living arrangements to include rent, meals, utilities, personal expenses, health insurance, etc. These figures do **not** include travel within the United States or the cost of international airfare. Nor do they include the costs of owning and operating an automobile or the tuition costs of attending the university during the summer.

MAPS AND DIRECTIONS

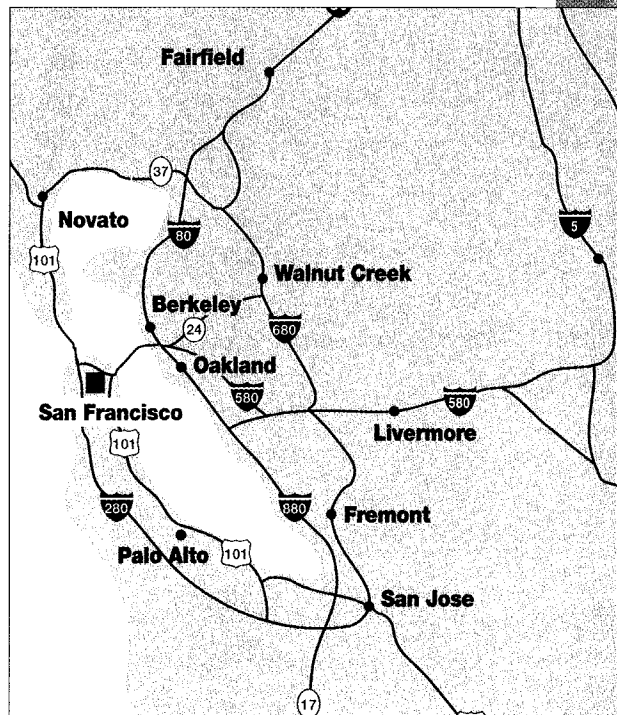
DIRECTIONS TO GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY

By Car

From the north: Golden Gate Bridge and Highway 101 to Van Ness Avenue. Left on Bush Street across Market Street to First Street. One block on First Street to Mission Street. Right on Mission Street one-half block.

From the south: Highway 101 to 80 (Bay Bridge/downtown) to Fourth Street exit. One block on Bryant Street. Left on Third Street, right on Mission Street two blocks.

From the East Bay: Bay Bridge to Fremont Street exit. Left on Fremont, then left on Mission Street one block.

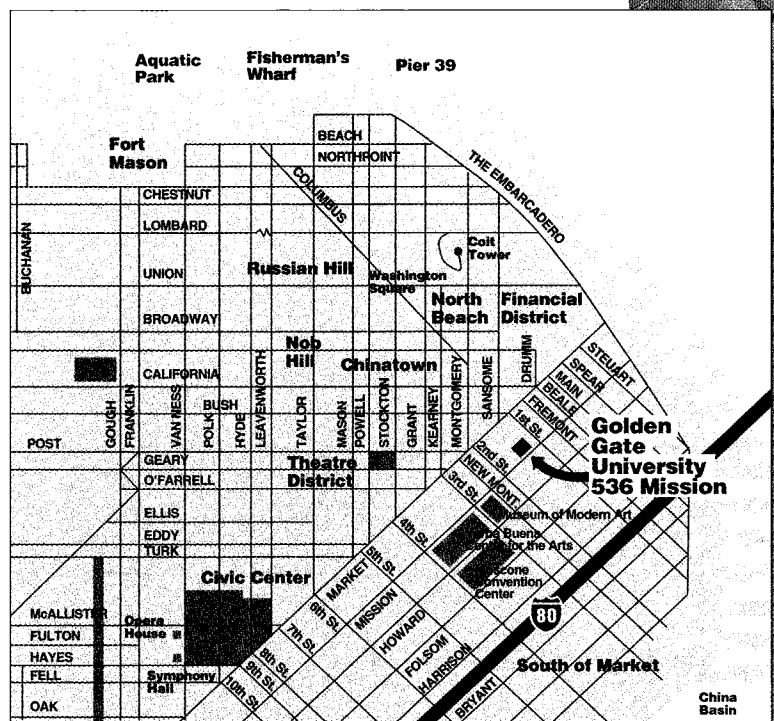


By Public Transit

- One block on Mission Street from Transbay Terminal at First and Mission Streets.
- BART and MUNI Metro, Montgomery Street exit. Walk on Second Street one block from Market Street to Mission Street. Left on Mission Street one-half block.
- From Caltrain Station at Fourth and Townsend Streets: Take #10 Townsend bus to Fremont and Mission Streets. Walk left on Mission Street one and one-half blocks.

OR

Take the N streetcar line to Embarcadero Station, walk south from Market Street to Mission Street. Turn right on Mission and walk two and one-half blocks.



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